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SEEDS!

For those wanting to start hot beds
the New Seeds are all here

STEELE-BRIGGS
MCKENZIES'
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A special assortment of the Finest Sweet Peas
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POISON

INSTANT DEATH TO TIMBER WOLVES
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IN CAPSULE FORM

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Druggists and Chemists.

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While I am Clearing Out This
Stock Values are Greater.

I still have a large stock to sell. If you are in need
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Corsets formerly \$7.95 and \$9.75, going at \$4.50 and \$5
Some wonderful values left in Ladies' Sweaters,
Reg. 6.50, at \$4.95

Light weight Woolen Goods for spring—Serges, Pop-
lins, Tweeds and imported Flannels, at cut prices.

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Champion Theatre

Coming Next Friday & Sat. Mar. 16-17

John Barrymore

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With MARY ASTOR—Estelle Taylor—Warner
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Love in the days when love was a fine art: Clandestine and
practical love, flaming passion, running the gamut from a simple
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seen. The burning story of the life and loves of the greatest
lover of all ages. Born to love, he took what he wanted. Dash-
ing, irresistible; a lover who realized every woman's dream.

This week "The Poor Nut," "Wild Beasts of
Borneo" and last chapter of "Collegians" and
Paramount News.

Coming next Wednesday March 14th, Ken Maynard in "Beyond
The Law" and Country Store Nite.

Be Sure to Poll Your Vote
On the School Bylaw

On Saturday, March 10th, in the High School building in
Champion, a poll will be held from 10 o'clock to four in the
afternoon, to decide whether a new Public School shall be
erected. The bylaw provides for the raising of \$30,000 for the
purpose.

This is naturally a question of vital importance to the rate-
payers of the district and it is to be hoped every resident rate-
payer will make an effort to record his or her ballot on this
occasion.

The matter has been quite widely discussed and opinions
have been largely formed at this date. Failure to vote, how-
ever, will render the efforts made futile, and for that reason a
special effort should be made to visit the polls within the hours
mentioned.

Every resident ratepayer and the husband, wife son or
daughter over 21 years old, residing with the ratepayer, is
entitled to vote. This embraces a large number of voters and
everyone is urged to utilize their franchise.

Elks Grand Ball

To All Elks—Come and Show
Your Colors. To New Elks—
Come and Join the Crowd.

Whether you are old or
young, whether you are an Elk
or not, do not miss the Grand
Elks Ball at Carmangay, Friday
night March 9th, sponsored by
the Champion Lodge. Local
members have gone to a lot of
work to put this event across
in great style and they want the
Champion community behind them in a body to make it the
success it should be. The ball
has been decorated beautifully in
the Elk colors, purple and
white. Paper hats stamped with
the Elk emblem will be given away to the ladies and
balloons in abundance, also with
the Elk stamp, will be scattered
among the crowd. Streamers will
be thrown from the gallery and
other novelties galore will
add an extra touch of reality
to the scene. Come on Champion,
lets go, phone the Elks
and appreciate their efforts to
put Champion on the map in
raised lettering more plainly
than ever.

"When my passion cools, on
that day I die!"

"Destroy Women or they will
destroy you!" See Don Juan.

Mrs. H. Higgins entertained
the Amity Club on Friday
evening last.

FOUND—Ladies' dress, be-
tween Frank Smith's and Oscar
Simonsen's. Apply at Chronicle
office.

Mrs. F. M. Watts left for
Namaka recently to visit her
parents who have just returned
from California.

The first dust storm of the
season occurred this week when
the new Ford car was being
demonstrated. Jack claims it
is the fastest thing on earth.

Mrs. R. A. Barrager wishes
to thank the many friends
who visited her during her
illness and also those who sent
flowers, particularly the Ladies' Aid.

J. C. Atkins, of Vulcan,
moved his furniture into one of
L. J. Adams' residences
during the week. Mr. Atkins
has secured an interest in the
Ford Garage.

C. Sutton arrived home from
Long Beach, Cal., on Monday
after a five weeks' visit in the
south. He had a good time
while away, is enthusiastic in
regard to prospects here for
the coming year and still thinks
Alberta is the best country on
earth for remunerative work,
even if California is swell when
a holiday is thought of. Mrs.
Sutton will follow shortly.

Will Build Garage
On Old Bank Site

J. M. Moffatt has purchased
the old Canadian Bank of Com-
merce building and will erect
a modern garage on the site
after the building is removed.
Operations will begin at an
early a date as possible. The
new garage will be one of the
best equipped in the province
and as the site is one of the
best possible it should be in
decided addition to the town's
business activities.

If hatred of expenditure was
as great in every direction as
it is in regard to taxes there
would be but little progress
made in any direction. Taxes,
we spent, provide the best
outlet for money we have al-
though paying them does not
lead to unnecessary hilarity.
The extra room is badly needed
in the school, so if you can possibly
convince yourself school
accommodation is one of first
essentials you should support
the bylaw on Saturday.

G. F. Smith has purchased
the Chester Hyndman residence
in the sub-division.

Loretta Clever entertained a
number of her little friends on
Saturday, the occasion being
her eighth birthday.

The Ladies' Aid will meet on
March 22nd at the home of
Mrs. Neil McLeod when an
Easter tea will be served with
Mrs. Ryan assisting.

Miss Kathleen Cowell's many
friends will be pleased to hear
she is getting along splendidly
at the Van Haerlem hospital,
Lethbridge. Mrs. Cowell is
with her.

Jon Ohlheiser is offering a
splendid lot of young work
horses and a quantity of farm
implements by public auction
on Monday, March 12th. Note
advt. elsewhere in this issue.

Mrs. J. M. Moffatt was a ten
and court whilst hostess last
week. Mrs. D. Watkins winning
the first prize and Mrs. E. F.
Crawford the consolation. An
unusually pleasant evening was
spent by those present.

The next meeting of the W.
I. will be held at the home of
Mrs. B. N. Woodhall on Tues-
day, March 13. Roll call will
be answered with Irish Jokes.
Mrs. Dow will read a paper on
"Education and Better Schools."

G. F. Smith is creditable with
one of the best suggestions as
to why the school bylaw should
be supported that has reached
the editorial ear. He says a
number of us will not be here
long and we should leave at
least a decent example for our
successors.

We are Closing Out our Stock
of Boys' Clothing

If Prices have anything to do with it the values
offered will not last long

**3 Only Boys' Tweed Suits
with two pairs Pants .. \$7.50**

6 Only Boys' Carss, pure wool Mackinaws, the best
that is made..... 4.95

5 Only, same as above only larger sizes..... 5.50

23 Pairs lined leather Mitts, Reg. \$1 value
Per pair..... .50

4 Pure wool Knitted Suits, to go at..... 2.65

Spies will not permit us to list all of these values here, but if the Boy
needs to be clothed bring him here and we can fix him up.

**Favorite Food for Every Day of the Finest Quality, making Shopping Easier for
the Housewife who will take advantage of these.**

Pure Raspberry Jams,
No. 4 tins..... 70
Each..... 15

Oranges, nice and
juicy, per doz. 25
5 lb. tin..... 45

Edwardsburg Syrup,
5 lb. tin..... 45
Peaches, Quaker Brand,
No. 2 tins..... 45

Head Lettuce
Special, per head..... 15
Celery, nice and
fresh, 2 lbs. for..... 25
Robin Hood China Oats,
Special
Per pkg..... 35

Bean Coffee 3 different
grades, we grind it for you

*Santos, per lb. 50c
Bourbon 60c
Choice 70c*

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AGENTS FOR SPILLERS' BAKE-RITE FLOUR
MEN'S SHOPPE, BOOTS & SHOES, GROCERIES

We May Not Sell All the
Shoes in Champion, But
We Sure Sell the Best!

JUST ARRIVED

Over 200 Pairs of Work Shoes
for Men. Nice, soft leather, and
soles you can't wear out, so Men
just come in and look 'em over.

Thank You

CAMPBELL'S

"Where They All Go."

A New Method

Cleans Grades Separates

Just what you have been looking for, a Com-
bination Fanning Mill, Wild Oat Separation
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THURSDAY, March 8, 1928

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The school bylaw to be voted upon on Saturday is an important money bylaw. Every ratepayer entitled to vote should do so, as the vote is taken for the purpose of registering the opinion of the people financially interested in the matter. The school board and the school inspectors are of the opinion a new school building is needed. The cost of the new building has been estimated by the school board and the amount of additional taxation necessary to meet the expense involved has been shown plainly. Every resident ratepayer may vote, and this includes the wife, husband, son or daughter of the ratepayer if they live in the same house. Make it a point to register your vote either for or against the bylaw. There is no possible excuse outside of inability to go to the poll which should prevent a complete vote being polled in an instance such as this.

While the vote on the municipal bylaw was very small it may be partly taken for granted that the proportions of the vote for and against is a fair indication of the feeling of the ratepayers in the matter and there is no doubt the council will immediately proceed to make the change. When the districts have made a levy there would still be no real difficulty in making the change this year and eliminating an out of date method of collecting school taxes.

SEED GRAIN NOTES

Plump, uniform seed produces vigorous, healthy plants which keep weeds in check. Use the best seed grain you can secure. You will be repaid many times over for the extra cost involved.

Seed grain which is a mixture of several varieties will produce a crop which ripens unevenly. Some heads will shatter while others contain green kernels and the grower is penalized on both the quantity and quality of the grain he markets. Use better seed.

The experience of older provinces proves that the spread of noxious weeds will eventually drive farmers from the land. Alberta farmers can profit by this lesson and check the spread of this menace. The great majority of weed seeds enter the ground through the seed drill and the remedy is very apparent: Use the fanning mill on all seed grain.

Treatment of seed grain with formalin or copper carbonate to prevent smut takes little time and will readily reduce the annual loss from this cause.

Start now with a small quantity of registered seed. At the same time use only the best commercial seed available for all your crops. You will be well repaid by an improvement in the quality and increase in the yield of your crops.

Better seed—Better crops—
Better returns.

A number of cases of scarlet fever have developed during the week, the majority of which are in the country. The usual measures have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease. It is said to be of a fairly mild type.

DR. H. NEWTON HEAL

DENTAL SURGEON

At Champion Friday and Saturday.
Crowsnest Mon., Tues. and Wed.
Barons Thursday.

J. FRED SCOTT LL. B.

Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, of 213 Lancaster Building Calgary will be in Champion every Thursday afternoon, in old Municipal office.

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in each month. Visiting brethren
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CONSULTATION FREEAppointments Saved for Patients
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Have you joined the ranks of the paid up subscribers yet? The movement in this direction has been prominent for the past few weeks. Make it a point to call at the office the next time you are in town.

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On the Forrest Cool Farm

One Mile North and Three Miles West of Champion, on

Monday, March 12th,

Commencing at O'clock, Sharp.

16 Head Young Work Horses

Black Team, 6 years, 2800 lbs.
Black Team, 6 years, 2900 lbs.
Black Team, 6 years, 2900 lbs.
Black Team, 8 years, 2700 lbs.
Bay Team, 6 years, 2900 lbs.

Bay Team, 6 years, 2800 lbs.
Bay Horse, 11 years, 1500 lbs.
Bay Horse, 4 years, 1200 lbs.
Black Mare, 7 years, 1000 lbs.
Bay Horse, 3 years, 1000 lbs.

Farm Implements & Harness

Two Farm Trucks with Racks
Three-quarter Wagon with Rack
P. & O. Triple Plow
12-Inch John Deere breaking Gang

Samson Rod Weeder
Frost and Wood Binder
10x10 Trailer McCormick Disc
5 Sets Harness. A number of Collars.

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John Ohlheiser, H. Cooper, A. Hopkins,
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Order U. G. G. Binder Twine and make
sure of the highest grade twine at the low-
est possible price.

On binder twine, as on other commodities,
United Grain Growers' Supplies Depart-
ment gives good service and makes impor-
tant savings to farmers.

UNITED GRAIN GROWERS LTD

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Long Louie Cafe

For Eleven Years the Leading Restaurant
in Champion.

With the completion of recent improvements, including re-
painting and decorating, we are in a better position than
ever to cater to farmers and others during the busy season.
As it has been in the past so Long Louie's
Will continue in the future to be

The Best Place in Town to Eat

Cigars, Cigarettes, Tobaccos, Soft Drinks, all Kinds of Fruit
in Season, Ice Cream the Year Round, etc.

IT IS TIME TO RETIRE!

Buy your tires where you get your free air. They cost
no more and you are sure to get Standard Tires, that have
proved their superiority by miles of service.

We Sell Goodyear and Firestone Tires

If Better Tires were Made
we would Sell Them

THE SERVICE GARAGE

Phone 65 for Sudden Service

Groceries

At Close Prices

You will find many at-
tractive values in this
store at all times.

Our goods are marked
at the lowest possible
price consistent with
quality.

GUNDER NERISON

For Sale

Army saddle, cheap. Phone 44 or
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VILLAGE OF CHAMPION

Gasoline Engine and Electric
Light Generator For Sale

The Village of Champion offers for
sale the 12 H.P. Threlow governed
Fuller & Johnson Gasoline Engine
and Electric Light Generator, now lo-
cated in the Village Curling Rink.

Interested parties please enquire at
the office the Secretary of the Village.

H. COOPER, Sec-Treas.

Village of Champion.

Herbert Cooper

Notary Public

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Phone 60

Champion, Alberta

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& REPAIRS

Now is the time for inside
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Phone 55

Estimates Furnished.

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Is open to Buy All Your
LIVE STOCK

Highest Market Prices Paid.

Phone 18, Champion.

Cheap and Effective
A "Want" Advt.

Annual Honey Production In Western Provinces Shown To Be Rapidly Increasing

That Canada is a wonderful country especially in the West is beyond question, due chiefly to her wide range of flora and high average of favorable weather for the secretion and ingathering of nectar. Moreover, the greater part of the honey produced in Canada is of high quality, both in flavor and body and, being white in color, is most suitable for table use.

Until quite recently, beekeeping was practically confined to the older provinces in Eastern Canada, especially Quebec and Ontario. In British Columbia, the surplus produced by them was absorbed by the Prairie Provinces. During the past five years, however, not only has beekeeping been rapidly expanded in the West, but because of this growth Canadian honey is now being exported to European markets where it is most favorably regarded. The total crop for Canada in 1923 was estimated at 1,000,000 pounds. Of this, Ontario produced 1,000,000 pounds; Quebec and Manitoba each over 4,000,000 pounds; British Columbia, 638,519 pounds; and Saskatchewan, Alberta, and the Yukon each over 100,000 pounds. No record of actual production is available from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, but from the total crop estimate given above it will be seen that the production in these provinces is relatively small. The amount of honey produced throughout the Dominion, of course, varies from year to year, according to weather conditions. For instance, 1923 was a favorable year in this respect for Eastern Canada but not so good for the West, while 1922 was the reverse, that is, good for the West and not so favorable for the East, as the following crop figures for 1922 will show: New Brunswick, 10,000 pounds; Ontario, 5,000,000 pounds; Manitoba, 5,322,512 pounds; Saskatchewan, 170,287 pounds; Alberta, 215,000 pounds; British Columbia, 898,257 pounds. The Quebec figures for 1922 are not yet available, but it is estimated that with those of 1923, it will be seen that, with the exception of Manitoba, the honey crops of the western provinces were much larger in the former year. Returns of the 1927 crop so far available from the various provinces in the past season was even more favorable than 1923. Manitoba reports a crop of 7,368,575 pounds, British Columbia, 986,719 pounds, and Saskatchewan, 500,971 pounds. Crop reports from the other provinces for 1927 are not yet available.

While honey production is steadily increasing throughout the Dominion, there are large areas yet unexploited in so far as beekeeping is concerned; this is especially true of western provinces. The favorable weather conditions in the more settled parts of the Prairie Provinces, the opening up of new territory, and the introduction of irrigation into semi-arid regions are helping to expand the beekeeping industry. The introduction of sweet clover into Manitoba and Saskatchewan is largely responsible for the increase in beekeeping in these two provinces. In the Peace River region, where beekeeping is an unexploited industry, an experimental apiary at Beaverlodge, Alberta, gave a wonderful crop during the summer of 1926. A colony on scales registered a gain of 20 pounds per 24 hours, and in one occasion, at the end of the season, the colony gave 235 pounds of surplus honey, and in addition gave one colony increase. Other pioneer apiculturists reported equally good results.

Other areas shown to be

Farm Land Values Increase

Outing To Feed Crops In Alberta Prices Advance Ten Per Cent. Farm land values in Alberta have advanced in the past year by reason of the excellent crops produced. Since June 1923 it is estimated land values in the various districts have increased an average of 10 per cent, while in districts where crops have been exceptionally good and the number of new settlers large, the increase has amounted to 20 per cent. A particularly good year in the Peace River district where the value of good farms, reasonably close to transportation, has increased more than any part of the province.

Outing to feed crops in Alberta prices advanced ten per cent. The increase in farm land values in Alberta has been rapid in the past year. In 1923 the average price per acre was \$4.385 according to the Provincial Minister of Agriculture. Against this he gives average production for some of the States of the Union for 1925: Montana, \$2.54; South Dakota, \$2.75; Iowa, \$2.62; Minnesota, \$1.97; Kansas, \$1.88. Average production per acre in Alberta in 1923 was \$4.154.

Machine To Combat Smut

Saskatchewan Registered Seed Growers Have Installed New Device Installation of machinery that is unique in any plant on the American continent has been effected by the Regina Seed Growers at Regina, with a Koenig Kan-Kover Katoval machine coming into operation. The machine is primarily designed to combat smut. The seed is powdered with copper carbonate and powdered can be treated in an instant. The machine has been patented by the Seed Growers to permit them to supply the farmers with pedigreed seed treated to combat any danger of smut when sown.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union



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A Chic New Frock

Unusually smart is the long-waited silk-satin dress shown here, having an open neck and diagonal plaid tucks, a belt of the same material, a wide belt and two cascade trimmings pieces stitched to the left side of the waist and skirt. The dress is made of 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches belt. Size 26, 28, 30 and 32. Price \$10.00-\$14.00-\$18.00-\$20.00-\$25.00-\$30.00 material. Price 20 cents the pattern.

The Fashion Book, illustrating the most popular and most practical style, will be of interest to every home dressmaker. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

How To Order Patterns

Address—Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave, Winnipeg.

Pattern No. Size

NAME TUES

A divorce court is an institution which enables a man to be revenged

Screenings Classified

Reclaimed Elevator Screenings the Most Important Grade

Screenings is a by-product of the grain industry and is now available in large quantities for animal feed. It consists of the broken and shriveled grain, weed seeds, including wild buckwheat and wild oats, chaff, etc., removed from the grain delivered to the terminal elevators and constituting 10 to 25 per cent of the total grain received. This by-product is reclaimed and classified into reclaimed elevator screenings, oat scalings, and refuse screenings, a mineral as recognized by the U. S. Inspection Department, and compiled with by most of the elevators. A new Dominion Department of Agriculture pamphlet on "Screenings As a Feed For Farm Stock" is given to the public. It is the opinion of the author that the most important grade is the one named reclaimed elevator screenings. It contains about 50 to 70 per cent of wild buckwheat, 20 to 40 per cent of broken or shriveled grain, and not over 3 per cent of small weed seeds.

It has been proved by experiment to be a very valuable feed for growing and fattening pigs and for fattening cattle. The screenings contain 10 per cent of wild oats, 15 per cent of deformed oats, a small percentage of barley and an occasional wheat kernel. It has a high digestibility index and is of the first of feeded grain screenings. The third grade, refuse screenings, consists of small weed seeds, chaff and the dust and dirt accumulated from reclaiming. It has been found to be of little or no feeding value in the raising of hogs. Below these three grades a fourth grade, called elevator screenings, is used. It includes any screenings not falling into the first three classifications. The screenings are fed to hogs, containing about 20 per cent of wild buckwheat and wild oats are put into this class. The pamphlet which gives an account of the experimental farm's research on the subject of screenings, and ascertain the feeding value of the various grades of screenings, may be obtained from the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Farm Lands At Premium

Few Farms Are Available For Renters In Brandon District

Farm lands are almost impossible to rent around Brandon, who state that lists of farms available for rent are held by many agents in the city, but there are no farms lands available. Where there is a chance of farms being for rent nearby, farmers have availed themselves of the opportunity of acquiring more land. There is a most optimistic outlook here.

British Columbia Lead-Silvers Approximately 10 per cent of Canadian output of lead is 92 per cent of the zinc comes from British Columbia; the remaining 9 per cent of the lead originating in Ontario, the Yukon, and Quebec, and about 8 per cent of the zinc in Quebec.

Burke.—"What! You've burned only one ton of coal so far this winter?"

Mason.—"Yes, the other five tons wouldn't burn."

There is something wrong with the woman who takes only when she has something to say.

Herring flour is used quite extensively in Norway.

Ice Sculpture in Quebec

Just towards Carnival time in Quebec examples of ice statuary begin to appear in the streets. The temperature ranges from 20° to 30° and ice is another good medium for conceptions such as a railway locomotive, a dog team and sled or a (habitant) (habitant sleigh) complete with horse or "bonhomme et femme femme." These statuary are not Franklin bits or carnival decoration but embody very real artistic values and are usually set up before the Chateau Frontenac.

The genius who makes these lighted figures is a little French-Canadian man. A habitant with bright eyes, a ready laugh and a high heart. His name is Michel Carbonneau, he will be 30 in the spring. "Un sculpteur de bois, marbre, and various other medium; also a carpenter, but," he speculates monumen de glace, "Ma ménage s'avoue plat."

Photograph shows a statue that

ADVERTISING CANADA

Splendid Publicity Given Dominion Through Poultry Congress Last Year

Professor J. C. L. Jackson, Secretary of Agriculture for the state of Rhode Island, and President of the United States National Poultry Council, was one of the most enthusiastic delegates to the World's Poultry Congress in July. He is now giving evidence of his impressions after participating in the Congress.

Since his return to Canada he has addressed many meetings, including the Canadian Congress of the U. S. Inspection Department, and compiled with by most of the elevators.

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It is also actively advertising in Canada. One of the chief delegations to the Congress was from England, and the author of the paper, Mr. Percy A. Gurney, of the Ministry of Agriculture, has been buying lectures since his return to England, has lectured on "Beekeeping in Canada" in the U. S. Inspection Department, and the Congress.

Canada is being advertised as a result of the World's Poultry Congress. The advertising is of the best kind, it has first hand information given by persons who returned to their homes and communities with new knowledge and enthusiasm.

It is being given by instructors to students, to agriculturists and others and by the representatives of the press and the public. The author of the paper, Mr. Percy A. Gurney, of the Ministry of Agriculture, has been buying lectures since his return to England, has lectured on "Beekeeping in Canada" in the U. S. Inspection Department, and the Congress.

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Makes Violin By Touch

Starting the work with a pen-knife and a file, Mr. Ernest Hall, a blind music-seller of Manchester, England, has made a violin in seven months, although he knows nothing whatever about the instrument. Mr. Hall does the work by touch and touch alone.

As pens are no use to him he has got a violin as a model.

Car Salesman—"Wouldn't you be foolish in a car with a woman driver?"

Madam—"No, I wouldn't let my husband at the steering wheel—we're going to have a chauffeur!"

Herring flour is used quite extensively in Norway.

To Ensure Satisfactory Yields Careful Selection of Seed Wheat Is of the Utmost Importance

PLANNING TRIPS TO EUROPE

Personally Conducted Tour Has An Attractive Itinerary

With winter on its last legs (why not winterize?) and summer vacation in the offing, Canadians are beginning to plan trips to Europe and the railroads and steamship companies, the latter being the Frenchmen's Community Club, the Rhode Island State Grange, the Lions Club, Rhode Island, the Southern New England State Grange, the Vermont Varmint Club, the chartered members of the Rhode Island Club, and the Rhode Island Club.

He has given these details of his trip through Canada, illustrated by maps, photographs, and a map of the route.

Mr. Arthur Parker of Southampton, England, also participated in the trip, and he writes that he has had the pleasure of broadening his impressions of Canada, Mr. Percy A. Gurney, of the Ministry of Agriculture, has been buying lectures since his return to England, has lectured on "Beekeeping in Canada" in the U. S. Inspection Department, and the Congress.

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Shriveled, shrunk, and plumped or blistered wheat should be avoided. Shriveled or shrunk kernels may be dried and stored until the winter, or may be indicative of the presence of a fungus within the seed, while frozen wheat has a plumped or blistered seed coat. A mummified kernel which is white to gray in color is typical of the presence of a very common and destructive fungus disease.

Discolorations such as green, pink and black are also very common. Green kernels denote lack of maturity while white kernels are the distinct color of discoloration. Green and pink are not definitely known.

Blackened kernels are typical of the presence of a number of different wheat parasites. The color of the germ end is likely to be the first indication of the presence of the fungus. Blackening is evident at different places on the seed coat, fungous, which are often very weak and sickly in appearance; by sowing such wheat, the farmer in many cases may introduce disease-producing fungi into his land.

With the coming of seed wheat, the use of steam is of the utmost importance. Ordinary cleaning methods such as are used by the average farmer will suffice to remove badly shrunk and very immature, but may result in discoloration. If these are present in the seed, however, even a small proportion of the seed lot, it should be avoided. Doubtful samples of seed grain may be sent to any of the Dominion Experimental Farms or to this laboratory for examination.

Roots As Food For Horses

Turnips Or Carrots Are Good For Horses During the Winter

Roots are a valuable feed for horses under many conditions. For instance, they are good for horses doing moderate farm work during the winter. Two or three or four or few roots will enter into the manure when the horse comes in at night will be greatly reduced. Turnips or carrots are more acceptable to horses than mangels and they should be given whole. According to the need, the Department of Agriculture on "Growing and Feeding Root Stocks" the merits of roots as a feed for horses may be summed up as follows: They increase palatability, increase the digestibility of coarse grasses, help to swift the teeth, glands form a splendid tonic, and cheapen the ration.

Reindeer Farming In Arctic

Airplanes Now Being Used To Advantages To Herd Numbers

Airplanes are now being used to herd vast numbers of reindeer in the big Arctic tundra areas, to the reindeer herders, "It's a new idea and it's not being practiced regularly, but herding by airplanes seems feasible," said Mr. Lomen. "Head herdsman went out recently and in two hours he brought in as much reindeer as otherwise would have required a week with six men. There is room for 12,000 reindeer in the northern tundras of Canada and such a herd would be worth \$50,000,000. It could be done in a modest way."

Walter, a sheik, is a caterpillar who makes these lighted figures is a little French-Canadian man. A habitation with bright eyes, a ready laugh and a high heart. His name is Michel Carbonneau, he will be 30 in the spring. "Un sculpteur de bois, marbre, and various other medium; also a carpenter, but," he speculates monumen de glace, "Ma ménage s'avoue plat."

Photograph shows a statue that was built in the United States in 1927 to the value of \$107,204.44, or \$105,884.511 more than the total purchases by Canada in the United States in 1926.

The chief item in the exports from Canada to the United States was "wood and paper with a value of \$237,466,110. Agricultural, vegetable, and animal products valued at \$147,000,000. Canada came next, of which live cattle valued at \$18,349,917 was the principal item, grain and grain products second with a value of \$13,669,492; horses third at \$10,000,000; and fourth worth \$18,157,570.

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The total export of Canada to the United States in 1927 was \$36,523,197 more than in 1926, while that country's purchases from the Dominion increased by \$9,325,625 over the previous year.

Development Of Civil Aviation

Plans for the development of civil aviation in Canada are developing at a rate fully up to expectations. There are already two civil airports in the country, one at Montreal, the other at Ottawa, and a dozen more in the formation stage. It is expected that by summer fully fifteen flying clubs will be in active operation, with members

The modern sheik is very often the living image of an impudent tailor bill, varying from 30 to 150.

"Walter, there is a caterpillar in this place," said the tailor. "That is the image you ordered." *Even Humor, Madrid.*

How The Sun Life Made Thirty-Eight Millions Profit In The Year 1927

Participating Policyholders Receive Ninety-Five Per Cent of Profits—Dividends to Policyholders Again Increased—Company Seeks Legislation to Maintain Canadian Control.

Montreal, March 10.—The phenomenal record of the Sun Life Assurance Company is an inspiration to all Canadians. Its income of \$102,000,000 is already equal to the total revenue of the Government of Canada in 1926. The company's profits for 1927 are estimated to be \$38,000,000, a profit in one year. Not many corporations anywhere can report such figures.

The President's intimate, practical comments at the annual meeting explained the company's success.

Of even greater moment, however, were his statements regarding the danger that this great Canadian institution may pass from Canadian hands. The company's policy has been to keep its affairs in the buying of Sun Life stock, and cautioned policyholders and shareholders of the menace it involved to an institution, which was founded and developed by the people of this great country.

Subsequent events have justified these misgivings, and at the meeting today the first public intimation was given that the Sun Life is destined to be a part of Parliament which is intended to effectually forestall this.

Precautions to Maintain The Company

In concluding his address to the shareholders and policyholders the President made the following reference to the matter:

"There is but one clear and only hope. Our company has created a remarkable record for our capital stock. We desire to ensure that this great company will remain entirely Canadian in its control and in particular that its investment policy will not change. Your Sun Life Committee and which we have introduced into Parliament will be permitted. It will give us the protection we so much need, and I know we can rely on the wholehearted sympathy and support not only of our stockholders and policyholders here present, but of our entire country."

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RESTORED TO GOOD HEALTH

Mother of Eleven Children Praises Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Her Interesting Experience

Buckingham, Quebec.—"I am the mother of eleven living children, and my baby is 10 months old. I am only 38 years old and I have had a very interesting life with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have known of it from my earliest days, and I have used it ever since I came to guard Bellefeuille against the cold and the cold. For five years

was in misery and was always ready to give up the struggle for my good health. My daughter, who is 18 years old, has also taken it and with great success. I have a young girl."—Dame WILLIAM PARKER, Box 414, Boucherville, Quebec.

With the help of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, she overcame, nervousness and other ailments common to women from early life to middle age. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will give you good health.

In a recent country-side canvas of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, 98 per cent of the replies were received, and 98 out of every 100 reported they were benefited by its use.

W. N. U. 1723



LESSON No. 18

Question: Why is emulsified cod-liver oil so needed for a child who is pale and losing weight?

Answer: Cod-liver oil is rich in vitamins and other nourishing factors that are particularly helpful to a weakened child.

For your child—old reliable

SCOTT'S EMULSION

5 per cent against our interest expense for investment expenses, you will note that we are quoting only the net rate, 6.47 per cent., after deducting our expenses of maintaining the oiling rate of 10 per cent. no terrors for us.

Our quality of our securities may be judged by the fact that not one dollar of interest or dividend on any of our securities has been called in during our entire term in force for us.

Business Doubled In Four Years

The progress we have attained justifies enthusiasm, but we must always look on the present as a mere starting point, and not as a place to停 for the future. What is that future to be? Year after year we have been making progress, but we have not yet come to a standstill, and that promised future is now unwilling to be postponed.

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High Interest Rate Earned, With No Arrears

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Canadian Asbestos Deposits

Canadian asbestos deposits are of particular interest, especially as they are the largest part of the world's supply. The demand for the short grades of fiber, though occurrences of this mineral have been noted in other localities and provinces, the productive areas are confined to the Eastern Townships in the province of Quebec where active mining operations began in 1880.

The first public operatic performances believed to have been staged 227 years ago at a French royal wedding.

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CHAMPION CHATTER

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EDITORIAL

And now the scientists are predicting that sooner or later the weather will be controlled by man, so folks may have just the kind that suits them. But they haven't told us yet just what kind of weather it is that suits everybody.

Man, oh man, if you know this Bill's dance you are going to miss SOMETHING.

DORA

We met a girl the other day so dumb she thought Joan of Arc was one of Noah's daughters.

G. F. Green, A. A. G. F. Smith and F. Caldwell are recent purchasers of Copper Cambonite.

E. Fisher says: "Every

"Good Equipment Makes a Good Farmer Better"

Local and General

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shaw, who have been visiting relatives at Norton, Kansas, returned home this week.

Roy Moffatt, a well known old-timer, is here on a visit to his brother, J. M. Moffatt, and is renewing many old acquaintances.

A party was given on Friday evening in Campbell's Hall by Mr. and Mrs. L. Fisher to over seventy couples as a farewell to their son Edwin, who leaves shortly to join the U. S. Marines. He was presented with a beautiful set of military brushes.

Ladies of Rome sought the gay Don Juan. He flattered, caressed, enchanted them all; and, when they were gone, forgot them. But no woman ever forgot Don Juan. No woman ever will.—Coming to your theatre.

A new barn 42x36 feet was finished last Friday on Jack Doyle's farm, five miles north east of town. The new building will accommodate sixteen head of horses, with room for twenty tons of hay or other feed.

Two picked rinks skipped by W. J. Jopling and C. McLean waited to a close decision on Wednesday night, the former leading the score. You have to interview both ends of the losing rink before deciding just how it happened.

"Civil Service," a comedy drama with a real punch, will be presented by the Alston Dramatic Society in the Community Hall on Friday, March 16th. Unusual effort has been made in the preparation of this play and those who attend

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husband wonders what his wife does with all the money he gets and every wife wonders why he doesn't get more.

F. Alder has seven tractors and his farm is in plough and one goods by ploughing an order for a 15-30 McCormick - Deering tractor.

Roy Moffatt is renewing acquaintances and friendships in Champion this week.

"Young, fat, less hard to drive in the world! I can run a mile a minute if it wasn't for you on them."

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